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that all mail from infectious points must be fumigated and brought in a clean car by clerk who has not been in an infected district for past twenty days. No restrictions on any other mail.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Kalloch, at Cairo, Ill., reports all cases doing well. *Alpha* being disinfected.

Yellow fever in the United States as reported to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, to September 22, 1897.

States.	Cities.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.
Alabama	Mobile	Sept. 13	1	.....
		Sept. 14	2	.....
		Sept. 17	2	2
		Sept. 18	11	.....
		Sept. 19	2	.....
		Sept. 20	1	.....
		Sept. 21	2	.....
		Sept. 22	4	.....
		Sept. 23	2	.....
Georgia	Atlanta	Sept. 23	*1	.....
Illinois	Cairo	Sept. 19	2	.....
		Sept. 20	†2	1
Kentucky	Louisville	Sept. 23	*1	.....
Louisiana	New Orleans	Sept. 8	.....	1
		Sept. 12	7	.....
		Sept. 13	3	.....
		Sept. 14	5	.....
		Sept. 15	2	.....
		Sept. 16	2	.....
		Sept. 17	8	1
		Sept. 18	5	1
		Sept. 19	6	2
		Sept. 20	‡18	.....
		Sept. 21	9	.....
		Sept. 22	12	2
		Sept. 23	9	3
Mississippi	Barkley	Sept. 13	8	4
		Sept. 14	1	.....
		Sept. 18	1	.....
	Biloxi	(§)	22	.....
		Sept. 19	.....	1
		Sept. 20	1	1
		Sept. 21	.....	1
		Sept. 22	5	1
	Edwards	Sept. 15	12	1
		Sept. 19	4	.....
		Sept. 20	2	.....
		Sept. 21	12	.....
		Sept. 22	13	2
		Sept. 23	23	.....
	Ocean Springs	Sept. 8	4	2
		Sept. 13	1	.....
		Sept. 18	2	3
		Sept. 22	4	.....
		Sept. 23	6	.....
	Scranton	Sept. 10	1	.....
		Sept. 14	1	.....
		Sept. 19	1	.....
		Sept. 20	15	.....
		Sept. 22	4	.....
		Sept. 23	6	.....
	Perkinston	Sept. 10	1	.....
Texas	Beaumont	Sept. 22	1	.....

* Refugee. † On dredge boat. ‡ Nine of these cases should have been reported before.
§ To September 15.

Smallpox in Birmingham.

The following daily telegrams from County Health Officer J. W. Barclay give the progress of smallpox:

September 16: No cases to-day. September 17: No cases to-day.